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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

IT,E&C Dept – Release of Rs.1,50,00,000/- (Rupees One Crore Fifty Lakhs only) towards Vote on Account budget for payment of the AMC charges of Software for APSCAN, APSDC (Amaravati), e-Governance Projects and other IT projects through M/s. APTS Ltd., Vijayawada - Administrative - Sanction Orders – Issued.

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY, ELECTRONICS & COMMUNICATIONS (INFRA) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.36 Dated:20.05.2024

Read the following:

1. G.O.Ms.No.33 Finance (Budget.I) Department Dated:16.03.2024.
2. G.O.Ms.No.39 Finance (Budget.I) Department Dated:03.04.2024.
3. U.O.Note No.ITC01-OPE0BUDG/1/2024-ADMIN, Dated:19.04.2024.

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ORDER:

The Government of Andhra Pradesh (GoAP) established the "State Information Infrastructure" to catalyze Information Technology (IT) Solutions in the Government. In this direction, the State has undertaken the following projects: (a) the "Andhra Pradesh Secretariat Campus Area Network (APSCAN)" with an aim to provide the necessary IT infrastructure in the Secretariat, and (b) the "Andhra Pradesh State Data Centre (APSDC)" at Amaravati to cater to the IT needs of the departments of the GoAP. The Annual Maintenance Charges (AMC) for the Software which are not under warranty in APSDC (Amaravati), APSCAN and certain other IT projects are essential.

2. Further, the Information Technology, Electronics & Communications (IT,E&C) Department is implementing various e-Governance projects like e-Office, Aadhaar Authentication User Agency (AUA)/e-KYC User Agency (KUA) Services, Digital Signature Certificates (Digital tokens), Maintenance of State IT portals and software development of other e- Governance projects.

3. In the reference 1, the Finance Department approved the budget *"under Grant No.XXXIX for Rs.72.26 Crores towards Revenue and Capital expenditure for the F.Y. 2024-25, out of which, Rs.54,57,33,000/- pertains to the Revenue and Rs.17,68,67,000/- related to the Capital Heads".*

4. In the reference 2, the Finance Department issued orders for release of Budget along with instructions for incurring expenditure during the first four months of the F.Y. 2024-25 i.e. 1st April, 2024 to 31st July, 2024.

5. In the reference 3, the IT,E&C (ADMIN) Department was allocated an amount of Rs.1,50,00,000/- (Rupees One Crore Fifty Lakhs only) to Infrastructure Wing under the HoA:3451-00-090-11-22-210-216 towards payment of the AMC charges of Software for APSCAN, APSDC (Amaravati), e-Governance Projects and other IT projects through M/s. APTS Ltd., Vijayawada for the first four months of the F.Y. 2024-25 i.e. 01.04.2024 to 31.07.2024 under Vote on Account Budget.

6. The APTS on behalf of ITE&C Department is implementing the Facilities Management (FM) and AMC contracts of the e-Governance projects such as Aadhaar Authentication User Agency (AUA)/e-KYC User Agency (KUA) Services, Maintenance of State IT portals, and software development of other e- Governance projects. The quarterly payments of AMC charges of Software for pending and current e-Governance projects must be paid by APTS from the funds released in Vote on Account budget.

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7. Sanction is accorded for Rs.1,50,00,000/- (Rupees One Crore Fifty Lakhs only) towards *"payment of AMC charges of Software for pending & currently e-Governance Projects & other IT projects"* through APTS Limited, Vijayawada as detailed below:

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme	Head of Account	Amount (In Rupees)
1	*payment of AMC charges of Software for pending e-Governance Projects & other IT projects*	3451-00-090-11-22-210-216	1,50,00,000

8. The Assistant Secretary to Government & Drawing & Disbursing Officer (DDO Code.No.2700-1701-024), IT,E&C Department shall draw the amount sanctioned in Paragraph (7) above by preferring an adjustment bill and credit an amount of Rs.1,50,00,000/- (Rupees One Crore Fifty Lakhs only) to the P.D. Account of Managing Director, APTS Ltd., with the following Credit Head of Account:

Head of Account : 8443-00-106-02-20-017-001 – VN
DDO Code : 2703-2003-001

9. The MD, APTS Ltd., shall comply with the following condition:-

I. The MD, APTS Ltd., should utilize the sanctioned amount for the Government approved schemes along with internal component schemes for the purposes specified as per the terms and conditions in vogue.
II. The object of above amount sanctioned and released towards payment of AMC charges of Software for e-Governance projects & other IT projects for implementation of the Scheme of ITE&C Department.
III. The MD, APTS Ltd., shall furnish the Utilization Certificate along with details of expenditure as soon as it is utilized.
IV. The MD, APTS Ltd., shall furnish the A.G., A.P., audited report/ statement of the Corporation in order to see that fund is justified by the financial position.
V. The above budget is allocated for utilization of funds for the period from 01.04.2024 to 31.07.2024 for the F.Y. 2024-25.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

KONA SASIDHAR
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Managing Director, APTS Ltd., Vijayawada.
Copy to:
The Accountant General, (A&E) Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
The Accountant General (Audit) Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, Mangalagiri, Guntur Dist., AP.
The Director Works and Accounts, Mangalagiri, Guntur Dist., AP.
The Pay & Accounts Officer, Mangalagiri, Guntur Dist., AP.
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The Joint Secretary, IT,E&C Department.
The AS(FAC) & DDO, IT,E&C Department.
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